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MINISTER SECK: FRANCE AND SOUTH AFRICA

1. IN COURSE JULY 16 CALL BY ASSISTANT SECRETARY SCHAUFLE
ON SENEGALESE FOREIGN MINSTER SECK, SECK REFERRED TO FRANCO-
SOUTH AFRICAN RELATINS IN PASSING. HE SAID " ALL AFRICANS
BELIEVE ALL OF THE WEST SUPPORTS APARTHEID, BUT WE KONW
THAT IT IS ONLY THE WEST THAT GIVES US EFFECTIVE DEVELOPMENT
AID", WHILE THE SOVIET UNION PROVIDES ARMS. BUT, HE
SAID WESTERN SUPPORT FOR APARTHEID MUST BE CONDEMNED " EVEN
WHEN IT COMES FROM THE FRENCH".

2. THE SALE OF NUCLEAR REACTORS WAS ONE THING: ALTHOUGH
IT GAVE MORAL SUPPORT TO SOUTH AFRICA, THEY WILL NOT BE USED
DIRECTLY TO CONTROL BLACKS, SAID SECK. BUT, HE SAID, WE
UNDERSTAND THAT SOUTH AFRICANS ARE USING ALLOUETTE
HELICOPTERS FOR RIOT CONTROL-- KILLING WOMEN AND
CHILDREN IN SOWETO. THAT MUST BE CONDEMNED.

3. LATER, SECK TOUCHED ON OTHER AREAS OF DISAGREEMENT WITH
FRENCH, INCLDING THE COMOROS, DJIBOUTI, AND ANGOLA.
HE SAID THAT, IN DAKARS VIEW, FRENCH HAD BEEN
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"PRECIPITOU" IN THEIR RECOGNITION OF MPLA GOVERNMENT.

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